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AMUSEMENTS TODAY.

Orpheum—Matinee and night, vaudeville.
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WEATHER FOR SALT LAKE.

Colder.

METAL MARKETS.

Silver, 55¢ per ounce.
Copper (cathodes), 12¢ per pound.
Lead, \$3.75 per 100 pounds.

STILL AFTER BURBIDGE.

The Herald's morning "American" contemporary, representing a small and inconsequential faction of its party, contained yesterday another installment in its spasmodic series of vituperative assaults on Police Captain Burbridge. For more than a year our contemporary has at intervals uncorked the vials of its wrath and poured their contents out upon the head of Burbridge. Thus far its efforts to bring about the removal of the officer have been utterly futile, a fact that has served to increase the venom of its attacks.

Why should John Burbridge be blamed for his desire to continue in a position he has filled so long and so honorably? Isn't our contemporary just a little disingenuous when it attacks him so bitterly? The "American" party is in full control of the affairs of Salt Lake City. The mayor is an "American," and nine out of the fifteen members of the city council are "Americans." They have the power to remove Burbridge. Why, then, should he be berated for refusing to resign?

The answer is that there are "American" members of the council who are not so blinded by partisan fury that they cannot see merit in men who do not belong to their party. These men know that Burbridge has served the city efficiently and faithfully for nearly twenty years; they know that during all that time there have been no charges of dishonesty, of graft or of inefficiency against him. Burbridge served four years under Thompson, when Thompson was a Republican; he served nearly two years more under Thompson, when Thompson was in office as an "American."

During his incumbency there have been nearly half a score of police chiefs, not one of whom has risen to accuse him. And the plain truth is that no serious charge can legitimately be made against Burbridge. The only excuse, in fact, offered by our contemporary in all its distasteful imaginations is that Burbridge is not an "American." What a crime that is, to be sure, what a horrible, heinous crime! Efficient service may not be considered, honesty and integrity count for nothing. Burbridge is not an "American" and he must go.

Fortunately for those who believe in good municipal government, however, the pack that is yelping at the heels of Burbridge does not represent a majority of the people of Salt Lake City or, to the best of our knowledge and belief, a majority of the "American" party. It is possible that the pack will bully and bulldoze and intimidate the mayor and councilmen into line for the removal of Burbridge, but when they do they will strike a blow at good government that will inevitably react upon the men and the party responsible for it.

Debaters from Columbia university have declined to contest with a similar team from Cornell because there is a woman among the Cornellians. Do you blame them? Wouldn't the woman insist on having the last word, whether or not?

The Detroit house of corrections cleared \$35,000 last year. Prisoners were not, however, allowed to take any stock in the institution.

WAGES AND ECONOMIC LAW.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, is one of the most intelligent and conservative labor leaders of the country, and what he says is always entitled to consideration. His most recent utterance bears on the subject of wage reduction as a sequel to the recession of manufacturing activity and the compulsory pause in large construction operations of all kinds which followed the disturbance last October.

Mr. Gompers says that the workmen of this country have come to the conclusion "that the condition that obtains in other large countries where there are large armies of unemployed will not obtain in the United States; it will not be tolerated. * * * I believe that the workmen have come to the conclusion that they will not submit to any reduction of their wages—there is no necessity for it, there is no excuse for it. It is not helpful; on the contrary, it is harmful, injurious and destructive."

Very few men in any walk of life will differ from Mr. Gompers in his view as to the desirability of high wages. The well-paid workman is the best index of a nation's strength and prosperity, and the unemployed should have the first consideration of statesmen. But Mr. Gompers does not tell how wages are to be maintained on the same level they held a year ago. It is easy enough to say the worker will not accept a reduction in wages, just as it is easy for the railroad operator or the manufacturer or the farmer to say he will accept no reduction in his earnings. If the mere saying could effect results, none of us would ever feel the pressure of circumstance; but inexorable law, a cruel law it may be, governs the industrial and commercial world, and no artificial barrier or combination can check the operation of that law in its ultimate workings.

When copper, for instance, finds no demand at a price which pays the copper mine owner, he has no alternative but to shut down unless a lower wage scale and cheaper cost of production can enable him to continue mining. The cotton goods manufacturer may not want to reduce the wages, but when market conditions offer the choice only of suspension or lower wages, there is no escape from the alternative.

At the floodtide of prosperity when demand outruns supply, labor can make its own terms and the employer is in condition to meet them cheerfully, because his own profits are good; but when the conditions are reversed, both employer and employee have to meet the situation by accepting reduced remuneration. In a good many instances manufacturers operate in times like these on a margin of profit so small as to be inconsiderable rather than let their plants deteriorate from disuse and their employees suffer want. Surely Mr. Gompers would not ask sensible men to believe that wages can be maintained now at the level prevailing last spring, when all the facts are against him and concrete instances in point are to be had in every part of the country.

Business conditions are gradually improving; only yesterday the announcement was made of resumption in a number of large establishments making steel products, cotton goods and other lines; but in no instance did the resumption furnish work for the full quota of men formerly employed, and all of the establishments had been shut down for some time. It is right for the laboring men and their unions to prevent as far as possible any undue or unfair reductions, but it would seem the part of wisdom for the employees to concede a share of the sacrifice which every class must make before the industries of the country attain once more the phenomenally profitable basis on which they operated so long before the October crisis intervened.

Common sense is about as badly needed now as any other factor of substantial prosperity, and such utterances as Mr. Gompers' do not comport with the common sense knowledge of economic law that governs all men whether the like it or not.

H. T. B. GREY.

In the passing of H. T. B. Grey, who died at Holy Cross hospital Monday, Salt Lake City loses a valuable citizen. Mr. Grey was not a prominent man, as prominence is regarded by the average citizen. For nearly twenty years he was a motorman on the First avenue car line. He helped to lay the tracks for the Rapid Transit company and his hand was on the controller of one of the first cars that traversed them. And always he was faithful, always efficient, always true to his trust. In his quiet, unobtrusive way he made friends by hundreds, was known, by sight at least, to many hundreds more.

Lately Mr. Grey had been winning the recognition his ability deserved, for when he died he was a prominent official in the International Street Railway Employees' union, as well as in the local branch of the organization. He had much to do with the handling of the brief street car strike last summer and to his sane, conservative and law-abiding counsel was largely due the early and peaceable settlement of the conflict.

His fellow employees and his friends will mourn his loss sincerely. It was of such as Grey that it has been written: "Well done, thou good and faithful servant; thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things. Enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

Mr. Roosevelt is undoubtedly of the opinion that that man Taft is the possessor of a frightfully mean disposition.

SOCIETY

The musicale to be given this evening at the University club promises to be an event of importance in an artistic way. Fred Smith, late of the Metropolitan opera in New York, will be heard for the first time in public here, and the others who take part are all accomplished musicians. They are Miss Edna Cohn, Miss Edna Evans, Miss Judith Evans, Miss Esther Allen and M. J. Brines, and the program is as follows:

- Quartette—"Sweet and Low"—Barnaby Miss Evans, Miss Cohn, Mr. Brines and Mr. Smith.
(a) Der Asra Rubenstein
(b) Ich hab ein Kines Lied Bengtson
Miss Edna Cohn
Reverie Vieuxtemps
Miss Allen.
(a) Mes Vers Hahn
(b) Lockruf Ruckauf
Mr. Brines.
Du bist die Ruh Schubert
Miss Edna Evans.
"Hear Me Ye Winds and Waves" Handel
Mr. Smith.
(a) "Awake, Awake" Needham
Miss Edna Evans.
(b) "When Cupid Comes" Scott
Miss Edna Evans.
(a) "Myself When Young" Lehman
(b) Die Belden Grenadier Schumann
Mr. Smith.
"Serenade" D'Ambrosia
Miss Allen.
(a) "Oh, That We Two Were May-ing" Nevin
(b) Venborgheit Wolf
Miss Edna Cohn.
"Ah, Moon of My Delight" Lehman
Mr. Brines.
Duet—"Calm As the Night" Gorty
Mr. Brines, Mr. Smith.
Miss Judith Evans, accompanist.

Mrs. O. W. Powers was the hostess yesterday afternoon at a delightful bridge tea at her hospitable home in Poppleton, Lingerlonger. Six tables of bridge were enjoyed and prizes were won by Mrs. Thomas Marioneaux, Mrs. Sam C. Park, Mrs. Elizabeth G. Belden, Mrs. W. H. Cunningham, Mrs. Grant Hampton and Miss Louise Sullivan. At the tea which followed the games, Mrs. Powers was assisted by a number of friends, Mrs. David S. Murray and Mrs. Charles D. Rookledge pouring.

Monsieur La Broue of the Alliance Francaise and a writer for the Paris Le Temps, will give a lecture tomorrow evening at Rowland Hall under the auspices of the French students here. This is the third lecture of the kind billed for Salt Lake, the others having been given under the auspices of the local branch of the Alliance Francaise. M. Le Broue will speak on "Social Economy of Our Day," and all who speak French are invited, the lecture being free to the public.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Glendinning entertained about two dozen of their friends last evening at cards, the affair being in compliment to Miss Pauline Terry. Six tables of hearts were played, and prizes were awarded the winners. The home was gay with strings of pink hearts in various sizes, and the valentine idea was carried out in all the appointments.

Mrs. W. H. Brame entertained a score or more of her friends yesterday afternoon at a Kensington tea at her home. Besides the time spent over the thimbles, a guessing game was played, and Mrs. A. I. Hoppaugh and Mrs. J. W. Smith were the prize winners. Mrs. William Cleland assisted the hostess.

Mrs. Graham F. Putnam has returned from California and will be at home to her friends informally this afternoon from 3 till 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. N. F. Putnam, 131 Eighth East street. She will leave tomorrow evening for Elly, Nev., to join Mr. Putnam.

Mrs. William F. Beer and Mrs. George W. Reed will entertain this afternoon at a bridge tea at the Beer home, 181 B street. This evening the ladies with their husbands will entertain at cards.

The history section of the Ladies' Literary club will meet at the club house this morning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Allen T. Sanford will read a paper on "The Second Punic War."

Mrs. William H. McIntyre and her daughter, Mrs. Fred Dern, have issued invitations for a large bridge tea to be given at the McIntyre home on Seventh street next Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Margaret Park is back after a visit of several weeks in Denver with her father.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Burke and Miss Emily Curtis will be at home after this week at 1059 Third avenue.

Mrs. James Hegner and her family will shortly be at home at 32 Fourth East street.

Mrs. Henry W. Lawrence has gone from Riverside, where she has been visiting, and is with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Young at their home in Berkeley, where she will probably remain for some time.

W. M. Armour of Denver is in town, the guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. John Reed.

Mrs. George P. Holman will entertain about a score of her friends today at a luncheon at the Alta club.

Miss Florence Grant entertained the members of the Sewing club yesterday at her home.

Mrs. O. W. Powers will entertain Friday at a St. Valentine's luncheon at her home.

Mrs. Elizabeth C. Genter, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John E. Dooly for some time, leaves Monday for Kansas City to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Kelly of Riverside are at the Knutsford for a short time. Mrs. O'Kelly was formerly Mrs. Eleanor Campbell.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

5836—Thomas Matheson, Salt Lake.
Margaret Gerard, Salt Lake.
5837—A. Albert Putnam, Salt Lake.
Ethel E. Birkinshaw, Salt Lake.
5838—Elbert A. Carrington, Salt Lake.
Fay Putnam, Salt Lake.
5839—Frederick Hills, Salt Lake.
Matilda Barton, Mill Creek.
5840—James McGormon, Salt Lake.
Eva M. Hanson, Salt Lake.
5841—Henry Otten, Mr. Pleasant.
Annie L. Gardner, Salt Lake.

BRYAN.

"Philadelphia North American." Whatever any man may think of William Jennings Bryan, upon whatever low plane the Nebraska's judgment of the great immediate questions, one of those facts that slap the critic in the face and make his standards totter is the undeniable truth that it needs only the presence, the personality, the utterance—the something we know not what that is the accompaniment of this man's

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coming among any body of Democrats—to send all opposition to him sinking into silent hiding.

Bryan's persistent and organized effort to force his retirement culminated in New York in a boom for Lieutenant Governor Chandler. Bryan spent a day or two in New York and all anti-Bryan sentiment evaporated.

The southern conservatives asked their northwestern brethren to aid them in making Johnson of Minnesota, the new leader. Bryan took two railroad trips and Johnson and Watterson are now loyal Bryanites.

A congressional campaign was started among the minority statesmen for a new deal in candidates. But Bryan tarried a while in Washington, and the only name cheered at dinner tables and applauded on the floor of the house by Democrats is Bryan's.

He is coming to Philadelphia now to attend the dinner of the Democratic club tonight. He is coming truly into "the enemy's country."

Guffey, Donnelly and Ryan and most of the crooked Democrats of Pennsylvania are against him. A large proportion of the best Democrats of the state are sincerely opposed to him. He will be among Democrats tonight; but none the less he will be "off the reservation" and among the hostiles.

Plans are framed in every way to suppress and sidetrack him. The committee in charge has arranged for him to enter while in Washington, and the only name cheered at dinner tables and applauded on the floor of the house by Democrats is Bryan's.

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